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At least one error upon which reissue is based is described as follows:

Claim 1 in the above-identified patent recites, "A mask for use on a layer of imaging material ..." and claim 8 recites, "a layer of masking material ... on at least a portion of the layer of imaging material." This is incorrect because the mask 10 is on the substrate 16, not the imaging material (i.e., photoresist) 14, as shown at FIG. 10 in the patent.

(Attach additional sheets, if needed.)

All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.

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